

Kentucky

Kentucky General Comments

- To facilitate the formation of a Multi-functional Aviation Brigade, an attack aviation battalion will relocate from Ft Campbell. Four Infantry BCTs, a Multi-Functional Aviation Brigade, a Sustainment Brigade, a UEx Headquarters, the 5th Special Forces Group and the 160th Special Operations Aviation Regiment will remain at Ft Campbell. Based on the net impacts of Modular Force Transformation and BRAC related actions there will be a increase of approximately 300 Soldiers using FY03 as a baseline and FY11 as an end state
- The Army intends to transform Ft Knox from an institutional training installation to a multi-functional installation that will be the home to Operational Army forces and various administrative headquarters. The relocation of the Armor Center and School is balanced by the activation of the Infantry BCT and the relocation of the units returning from overseas. Combined these FORSCOM-related units represent over 5,000 Soldiers and their families.
- Blue Grass Army Depot will gain a new importance as a DoD Munitions Center of Excellence. It becomes a focal point for one of the most critical aspects of Army combat capability -the ammunition on which our Soldiers depend.

Reserve Component

Gains:

- Build 2 Armed Forces Reserve Center and Field Maintenance Facility

Losses:

- Close 4 Army Reserve Centers
- Close Blue Grass Station, 1 National Guard Readiness Center and 1 Army National Guard Organizational Maintenance Shop with the State permission

Bluegrass Army Depot

Gains:

- Munitions Maintenance functions from Red River Munitions Center
- Relocate and consolidate Reserve units into a new Armed Forces Reserve Center and Field Maintenance Facility from 2 Army Reserve Centers

Losses:

- None

Fort Campbell

Gains:

- 52d Explosive Ordnance Group from Ft Gillem
- Armed Forces Reserve Center
- Validated temporary stationing of 4th BCT
- Various units returning from overseas

Losses:

- Attack aviation battalion to Ft Riley

Fort Knox

Gains:

- Activated Infantry BCT and forces returning from overseas
- Army HR Command, Army Reserve Personnel Command and Army Enlisted Records Branch from various lease spaces
- Army Accessions Command and Cadet Command from Ft Monroe
- 100th Division (IT) headquarters
- 84th Army Reserve Readiness Training Center from Ft McCoy

Losses:

- Armor Center and School to Ft Benning
- Level II Correctional function to Ft Leavenworth
- In-patient mission at Ireland Army Hospital to the civilian community
- Army Research Institute's Human Systems Research function to Aberdeen Proving Ground

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